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RESPONSE AND ELECTION
(In response to Office action mailed January 12, 2004)

Sir:

This communication is filed in response to the Office action dated January 12, 2004 (Paper No.01082004). The one month period for responding to the Office action expires on February 12, 2004.

The Examiner has required Applicant to elect a single invention for prosecution on the merits. Applicant hereby elects to proceed with the Group II, claims 12-17 without traverse.

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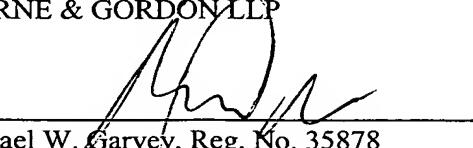
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